

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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AC COACHES IN BANGALORE-MEERAJ MAIL
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is no First Class and First AC Coaches in Train No. 6589 and 6590 (Meeraj-Bangalore and Bangalore- Meeraj Mail);
- (b) if so, whether the Railways are having any proposal to include one First Class and one First AC Coaches in these trains;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the time by which these coaches will be included in these trains; and
- (e) if not, the main reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) to (e) No, Madam. Both of 6589 and 6590 Bangalore-Miraj-Kolhapur Express are having one First AC Coach each in the train composition. However, there is no first class coach in the train.

As a policy decision, manufacturing of first class coach has been discontinued.